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By the QUEEN,

A PROCLAMATION.

ANNE R.

WE being desirous that the Members of both Houses of Parliament may have convenient Notice of the time when their Attendance in Parliament shall be requisite, have, with Advice of our Privy-Council, thought fit to issue this our Royal Proclamation, hereby declaring our Pleasure, That our Parliament, which now stands Prorogued to Thursday *the sixth Day of* October *Instant, shall be further Prorogued to* Tuesday *the fifteenth Day of* November *next ensuing the Date hereof: And our Purpose being that our said Houses shall not only Meet on the said fifteenth Day of* November, *but shall then sit for the Dispatch of divers weighty and important Affairs, we do hereby Charge all the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens and Burgesses, Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, to give their Attendance at* Westminster *on the said fifteenth Day of* November *accordingly.*

Given at our Court at *Windsor* this third Day of *October*, 1709. In the Eighth Year of our Reign.

God save the QUEEN.

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WHereas it hath pleased Almighty God, of his great Goodness and Mercy, to continue to us his Protection and Assistance, in the just and necessary War, in which we are now engaged, for the common Safety of our Realms and the Liberties of Europe, *by giving to our Arms, in Conjunction with those of our Allies, under the Command of* John *Duke of* Marlborough, *Captain-General of our Forces, a signal and glorious Victory at* Blaregnies *near* Mons *in* Hainault; *we therefore duly considering, That such great and publick Blessings do call for a solemn and publick Acknowledgment, have thought fit, by the Advice of our Privy-Council, to issue forth this our Royal Proclamation, hereby appointing and commanding, That a General Thanksgiving to Almighty God, for these his Mercies, be observed throughout* England, Wales, *and Town of* Berwick upon Tweed, upon Tuesday *the twenty second Day of* November *next. And for the more devout and orderly Solemnizing the same, we have given Directions to our Archbishops and Bishops, to compose a Form of Prayer suitable to these Occasions, to be used in all Churches and Chapels, and other Places of publick Worship, within their respective Dioceses, and to take care of the timely Dispersing thereof. And we do likewise direct and command, That the said publick Day of Thanksgiving be religiously observed by all our loving Subjects, as they tender the Favour of Almighty God, and upon pain of suffering such Punishment, as we may justly inflict on all such as shall Contemn or Neglect the Performance of so religious and necessary a Duty.*

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Windsor, October 6. The following Address was presented to her Majesty by Sir *Joseph Jekell*, Chief Justice of the City of *Chester*.

To the QUEEN's *most Excellent Majesty.*

The humble Address of the High-Sheriff and Grand Jury of the County-Palatine of *Chester*, assembled at the Assizes held for the said County the 19th Day of *September*, 1709.

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects beg leave to Congratulate the Success of your Majesty's Arms, and those of your Allies, in the reducing the strong Fortress of Tournay, *and the late Victory over the* French *Army near* Mons. *We are incapable of expressing the Glories of that wonderful Battel, and the unparalleled Conduct and Intrepidity of his Grace the Duke of* Marlborough. *We beg that God will continue to bless your Majesty with Health and Success, that your Majesty may long Reign over us your happy People, and Establish in the rest of* Europe *that Peace and Felicity which we enjoy.*

The humble Address of the Constable of the *Tower* of *London*, as also of the Deputy Lieutenants, and Military Officers of the Hamlets thereunto belonging, was presented to Her Majesty by the Right Honourable the Earl of *Essex*.

Which Addresses her Majesty received very graciously.

Turin, September 18. *N. S.* Letters from Savoy say, that Mareschal Thaun was making the necessary Dispositions for the return of his Army into Piedmont. The Bishop of the five Churches, under the pretext of a Journey to Pavia, took occasion to visit Vigueve[illegible] Villages in the Alexandrin, and those situated [illegible] the Po and the Tanaro, which are in dispute [illegible] the Courts of Vienna and Turin. He is returned to Milan, and it is expected that the Conferences relating to this Affair will be speedily renewed. The Duke of Savoy is so well recovered of his late Indisposition, that on the 16th Instant he went with his Family to his Palace called the Vineyard, seated on the Mountain of Turin. Advices from Genoa say, that on the 13th Instant Signior Durazzo was elected Doge of that Republick; and that seven English Men of War had taken on that Coast a French Man of War and twelve Corn-ships bound for Marseilles.

From the Camp at Havre, *October* 10. *N. S.* The Disposition being made for attacking the Counterscap of the